(ङ) टी० एफ० ए० आई० भारतीय वस्तुओं तथा प्रौद्योगिकी का प्रदर्शन करने के लिए वर्ष में 35/40 विदेशी मेलों में भाग लेता है । वह क्रेताओं को आकृष्ट करने के लिए भारत में वर्ष में लगभग 15 मेलों की भी व्यवस्था करता है । निर्यात संवर्धन की दृष्टि से हमारे विदेश मिशनों के माध्यम से भारत अंतर्राष्ट्रीय व्यापार मेले में विदेशी व्यापार प्रतिनिधि मंडल आमंत्रित किए जाते है । इसके अतिरिक्त विभिन्न व्यापार जर्नलों के माध्यम से भारत की निर्यात क्षमता को दर्शाकर विदेशों में प्रचार भी किया जाता है । फोरेन चैम्बर्स ऑफ कामर्स, ट्रेड एसोसिएशनों से व्यापारी दर्शकों को भेजने के लिए अनुरोध किया जाता है । विदेशों में हमारे मिशनों के वाणिज्यिक स्कंधों, व्यापार विकास प्राधिकरण और इंजीनियरी निर्यात संवर्धन परिषद् तथा निर्यात संवर्धन संगठन भी भारतीय उत्पादों का निर्यात बढ़ाने के लिए कार्य करते हैं ।

371. [*Transferred to the 2nd December*, 1991]

Export Policy

372. PROF. SAURIN BHATTACHARYA: Will the Minister of COMMERCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the export-trade of the country has not indicated any sign of improvement since the past three months despite repeated relaxation in the export policy;

(b) whether some of the overseas buyers are refusing to entertain Indian goods unless substantial imports are undertaken by the Indian importers;

(c) whether Government have taken effective measures in the matter; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE (SHRI P. CHIDAMBARAM): (a) No, Sir. According to provisional figures, the monthly level of exports have increased from Rs. 2573 crores in June 1991 to Rs. 3313 crores in July 1991, to Rs. 3441 crores in August 1991 and further to Rs. 3656 crores in September, 1991.

(b) No such specific case has been brought to the notice of the Government.

(c) and (d) Does not arise.

373. [*Transferred to the 6th December*, 1991]

Setting up of export promotion cell or Directorate by the State Governments

374. SHRI GHUFRAN AZAM: Will the Minister of COMMERCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have directed State Governments to set up separate export promotion cells or directorate of export promotion to deal exclusively with the problems faced by exporters;

(b) if so, whether any of the State Governments have set up the said export promotion cell or directorate; and

(c) what is the extent to which the exports will increase as a result of this step of the Central Government?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE (SHRI P. CHIDAMBARAM): (a) Yes, Sir. Various State Governments have been requested to set up separate export promotion cells or directorates in the State Secretariat to deal with the problems of exporters.